R. D. BLACK SHOOTS MARSHALL ROWLAND

Black Had Previously Slapped Young Brother of Rowland and Latter Remonstrated.

BURNING BRIDGE IN WAY

Governor Glenn Unable to Get Through to Raleigh as Soon as Expected.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 22.—Rowden D. Black, a young farmer, sixteen years old, was lodged in jall this morn-ing for wounding Marshall Rowland years old, was longed in Jan this morning for wounding Marshall Rowland, aged eighteen years, near McCullers, this county, a station on the Raleigh and Southport Railroad. The young man shot is a son of Bennett Rowland, a prosperous and well-known farmer. Black, who did the shooting, came to the relighborhood from Moore county. the neighborhood from Moore county

some months ago.

Sunday evening he met a younger brother of Rowland, and asked him if he could not get him some whiskey. The boy, who was twelve years old replied that he did not know where replied that he did not know where there was any. Black insisted that he could, and a quarrel ensued, in which Black slapped the Rowland boy. Marshall Rowland, the older brother, heard of the attack en his brother, and came up to take his part, when Black, who was standing on top of a freight car, drew his revolver and fired upon him. One ball entered the boy's mouth and came out at the ear, and another took effect in the back, ranging down close by the spine, bringing about almost total paralysis. Black claims that he shot in self-defense, but a number of witnesses say that the youth who was shot had only remonstrated with Black in a very quiet way about striking his little brother, and demanded an explanation.

Burning Bridge in Path. Governor Glenn was to have returned to the city this morning from his trip to Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Richmond, but he telegraphed Mrs. Glenn that he could not get back until to-night, owing to the burning of the bridge on the Seaboard Air Line between Burgess and Dinwid-Air Line between Burgess and Dinwiddie, beyond Norlina. He said he would

die, beyond Norlina. He said he would return over the Southern by Danville. The bridge burned last night. It was a long bridge across a swamp.

The North Carolina Corporation Commission paid into the State treasury this morning \$1,000 in penalties collected from the Seaboard Air Line and the Southern Railway Companies in suits for failure to properly bulletin trains. There were a number of violations of the order consolidated into one case each for the two roads. Lumberton, Gastonia, Greensboro and Raleigh were the principal points where the violations were charged. The suits the violations were charged. The suits were in Wake Superior Court,

TO BUY STANDARD.

Presbyterian Paper to Become

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Property of Rev. P. R. Law.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 22.—Rev.
P. R. Law, formerly of Robertson
county, who recently arrived here to
take charge of the Presbyterian Standard, the organ of the Presbyterian
Church in this section, has secured an
ontion on the plant and will corrected

Church in this section, has secured an option on the plant and will organize a stock company to take it over.

The paper may continue publication here or it may be removed, as other cities are bidding for it. Dr. R. C. Reid, of the faculty of the Columbia Theological Seminary, will be associate editor.

WOMAN CAUSED IT.

Oscar McLean in Jail for Shooting Cleveland Adams.

ing Cleveland Adams.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALEIGH, N. C., April 22.—Oscar

McLean, a white man, twenty-one
years old, was brought here to-night
from Panter Branch township and committed to jail for shooting Cleveland
Adams, another young man of the
neighborhood. They, became involved
in a quarrel about a woman and McLean shot Adams three times. It is
not thought that either of the wounds
will prove fatal.

SERIOUSLY HURT. Engineer, Fireman and Brakeman in Critical Condition.

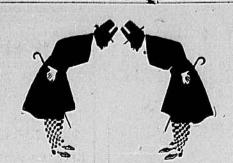
in Critical Condition.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SPENCER N. C., April 22.—Engineer
John G. Sparger, the fireman and a
brakeman, all of Spencer, were seriously injured this afternoon near Reidsville by the crownsheet of the locomotive blowing out. All of the men
are reported to be in a critical condition at a hospital in Reidsville. The
cause of the accident is unknown.

Dr. Royster Chief Marshal.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C., April 22.—Dr. Hubert
Royster has been designated as chief
marshal for the claborate ceremonies being planned for the unveiling of the statue
of Ensign Worth Bagley May 20th, All
the reliveds have citien assurance. the railroads have given assurances that suitable special rates to Raleigh for the occasion will be put on.



Fashion Bows

to Brown, lifts its hat to Gray, and salutes, Blue. These are "the" colors this spring. Many shops show a thimbleful of browns---just

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Same with Gray and Blue. The newest things, quickest---that's Have you been sack-suited yet? No time like NOW. No place

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Soft Hats, in widest range of shapes and shades, \$3.00 grades,

COREA HEARS OF PEACE DEADLOCK

America May Appeal to Roosevelt.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 22.—Advices received here to-day from Central America are to the effect that the peace negotiations which have been in progress for the past few days at Amapala have come to a deadlock, and it is feared that a renewal of hostilities is impending. The difficulty appears to lie in the Nicaraguan demand that Salvador shall be held responsible for what has occurred, which condition is not acceptable.

Senor Corea, the Nicaraguan minister here, called at the State Department today to explain the Nicaraguan position, which in brief was as follows:
"Nicaraguans feel that by her interference between Nicaragua and Honduras, Salvador has made herself liable for damages inflicted upon Nicaragua and financial expenses of some part of the war. As Salvador deciled any such liambility, Nicaragua, in order to swold delaying the present negotiations for peace at Amapala, proposes that the question be submitted to President Roosevelt or to some person to be designated by him, as to whether or not Salvador is liable for pecuniary damages, and if so, to what amount."

BOWLERS AT BANQUET.

Local Organization Closes Season

Auspiciously.

Any one having had the good fortune to have been invited to the banquet which was given last night at Sumpf's Cafe by the Richmond Bowling Association could not but have been greatly impressed with the firm footing which this ancient and honorable sport has obtained in this city in the past twelve months, or, in

and honorable sport has obtained in this city in the past twelve months, or, in fact, in the past half-year.

Last night's spread was the final closing of the first season of organized bowling that Richmond has ever known, and the officials and members of the league, from the president to the lowest score man, is to be congratulated on the rapid strides that have been made in putting the capital of Virginia where it stands at present in the sport that Henry Irving helped to make famous in his "Rip Van Winkle." Of course, after the spread

man, is to be congratulated on the rapid strides that have been made in putting the capital of Virginia where it stands at present in the sport that Henry Irving helped to make famous in his "Rip Van Winkle." Of course, after the spread speeches were in order, and before the gathering broke up every one had been heard from, and the keynote of all remarks was the proposed and much discussed plan of Richmond's entry in the next American Bowling Congress, which holds its 1998 convention and tournament at Cheinati, Ohlo.

After a short address by captains of the teams, O. C. Lohman, who holds the city record of 266 for high man in a competition game, and whose work as a member of the championship Olympia team aided materially in winning the trophy for that squad, was presented with a handsome gold medal, set with twenty-five diamonds, a present from his teammates in appreciation of his creditable work. Those who were present were:

Homer L. Cooke, William Ebel, Frank Billey, Louis E. Bell, M. Branch Thorpe, John Krausse, secretary. John Koibe, Joseph Fischer, Fred Bane, Jake Rowsey, Charles E. Fairlamb, O. E. Lohman, A. J. Kneff, R. D. Stahl, George E. sey, Charles E. Fairlamb, O. E. Lohman sey, Charles B. Falriamb, O. E. Lonman, A. J. Kneff, R. D. Stahl, George E. Duebert, M. F. Godze, A. Sutterlin, W. H. Spilling, president; Sam. W. Wil-liams, Ed. G. Schumacher, John J. An-derson, W. P. Blair and Zack Woodall.

CITY MISSIONARY. Rev. W. S. Campbell to Engage in Work in East End.

in Work in East End,
Rev. W. S. Campbell, until recently
connected with the Bible Society of
Virginia, has been elected city missionary under charge of the Home Mission
Committee of East Hanover Prosbytery.
Mr. Campbell's work will be in the
eastern part of the city, more particularly what is known as Montrose and
Glen Echo. His residence will still romain in Richmond.

HEALS S.S.S. OLD SORES

An old sore or ulcer is only a symptom, an outlet for the impurities and poisons which are in the blood, and as long as this vital fluid remains in this impure, contaminated state the place will never heal. The application of salves, washes, powders, etc., may cause the spot to scab over, but a fresh outpouring of diseased matter from the blood starts it again, and thus it goes on, gradually growing worse and slowly affecting the entire health of the sufferer. There are many ways in which the blood becomes contaminated and poisoned. A long spell of sickness breeds disease germs in the system, the failure of the eliminative members to remove the refuse and waste matter of the blood, the excessive use of mineral medicines in certain diseases, all infect the blood with morbid matter and germs which sooner or later is manof the body, the excessive use of influent medicines in certain diseases, all infect the blood with morbid matter and germs which sconer or later is manifested by a sore that refuses to heal. Persons with inherited blood taint are very apt to be afflicted with sores and ulcers. The taint may lie dormant during young, vigorous life, but when middle age is reached or passed and the natural energies begin to grow weaker, the tissues in some weak point break down and a chronic sore is formed and kept open by the constant drainage of impure matter from the blood. If the cause is not removed the break down and a chronic sore is formed and kept open by the constant drainage of impure matter from the blood. If the cause is not removed the sore will continue to grow worse by eating deeper into the flesh, festering, discharging, and slowly undermining the constitution. S. S. S. heals old sores by going down to the very bottom of the trouble, driving out the impurities and building up the entire circulation. When S. S. S. has removed the cause the blood becomes rich and healthy, the sore begins to heal, new flesh is formed, and soon the place is cured. Do not depend on external applications, which do not reach the blood, but begin the use of S. S. S. and remove of the cause, and then the sore must heal. Book on Sores and Ulcers and medical advice free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

WILL NOT SEEK A

Warlike Factions in Central Thaw Lawyers Deny That Second Trial May Be Transferred to Another County.

Another County.

NEW YORK, April 22.—Clifford W. Hartridge, or counsel for Harry K. Thaw, sald to-day that, so far as he knew, no movement was contemplated looking toward hearing the second Thaw trial at Binghamton. He expressed the opinion that Thaw's second trial, like the first, would be held in New York City. Mr. Hartridge interpreted the visit to Binghamton of Attorneys Delmas and MePike as a social call upon Superintendent Wagner, of the State Hospital there. Assistant District-Attorney Garvan, who is temporarily directing the Thaw case, said he believed there was no foundation for the suggestion that Thaw would be triad at Binghamton. He explained that it was perfectly possible to try Thaw outside of New York City under an agreement to change the venue, but pointed out that to accomplish this it would be necessary to secure permissive order from a court in this city. He stated that if Thaw's attorneys were planning to change Thaw to the Binghamton Jurisdiction, the arrangement was unknown to the District Attorney William Travers Jerome stated to-night that he had no intention of either asking for or consenting to a change of vende for the next trial of Harry K. Thaw.

HENRICO NOTES.

Bible Stolen from Magistrate's Court-Koch Will Case.

After four days of hearing of witnesses and argument, the jury in the Henrico Circuit Court failed to agree as to the validity of the will of Mrs Madeline Koch. When it was found that the turn was bonelessly divided that the jury was hopelessly divided, Judge Scott ordered them discharged. The value of the property sought to be conveyed by Mrs. Koch is about \$15,000.

'Squire Myer S. Angle is said to be critically iil at her home, in Varina District, His physicians regard his case as most serious.

'Squire James T. Lewis is short a

The Richmond Convocation of the Episcopal Church will hold its spring session in Emanuel Church, Brook Hill, session in Emanuel Church, Brook Hill, Henrico county, opening this evening at 8:15 o'clock, with prayer and ser-mon by Rev. William B. Lee, of Gloucester, dean of the convocation. The meeting will last through two days, with an interesting series of bus-iness and devotional services which a number of people from the city will attend.

attend.
Following the opening meeting tonight, the program for Wednesday and
Thursday is as follows:
WEDNESDAY,
Wednesday, April 24th, at 10 o'clock,
devotional service, conducted by the
Rev. W. L. Kinsoiving.
Business session, 10:30 A. M. Mornlog prayer and Holy Compunion. Coning prayer and Holy Communion. Convocation sermon, by the Rev. W. M.

Clark,

Business session, 3:30 P. M. Discussion of subject, "The Family Altar,"
by the Revs. L. R. Mason and John J. Missionary service, 8:15 P. M. Con-

Missionary service, 8:15 P. M. Convocation mission, the Rev. R. A. Goodwin; Dioceson mission, the Rev. J. Poyntz Tyler; Men's Thank Offering, the Rev. J. J. Gravatt.

THURSDAY.
Thursday, April 25th, devotional service, 10 o'clock, the Rev. L. R. Mason.
Busines meeting, 10:30. Morning prayer, with sermon, by the Rev. R. W. Forsyth.
Business meeting, 3:30 P. M. Address by a member of the Virginia Sunday-school Commission, 4:30 P. M. Evening prayer, with sermon, by the

Evening prayer, with sermon, by the Rev. J. Y. Downman, at 8:15.

TO LECTURE HERE.

Mr. and Mrs. Stokes to Speak in Richmond Churches.

Charles E. Stokes and Mrs. Carrie Mr. Charles E. Stokes and Mrs. Carrie Lee Carter-Stokes, of Kansas City, will deliver lectures here this week.
Mr. Stokes will speak to-morrow evening in Centenary Methodist Church on "The Dark Cloud of Intemperance." Mrs. Walter Duke will sing, and the church chole will furnish special music.
Thursday evening at 8 o'clock Mrs. Stokes will give the companion lecture, "Its Silver Lining," in Seventh Street Christian Church. The quartet choir of the church will render special music,

, the church will render special music,

MOVE TO SECURE BETTER SERVICE

Citizens of Northside Will Meet To-Night to Discuss Street Car Facilities.

DESIRE SEVERAL CHANGES

Will Ask That Company Run MOTHER OF THAW Cars to Ninth Street and

A mass-meeting of the citizens of Barton Heights, Brookland Park and Ginter Park will be held to-night at the assembly hall of the public school building in Barton Heights. All persons residing in this district are urged to attend, special attention being called to the fact that ladies are expected as well as the gentlemen. Property-holderg in this section, whether residents or not, are also invited, as many matters of public interest will enter into the general discussion.

Arrangements will be made for vocal and instrumental music by the best talent in Barton Heights, and it is thought that besides the business transacted the gathering will be a pleasant social event.

Among the matters that are expected to come up for discussion is the street car service for this large and growing district served by the First Street line. The subject was discussed informally at a meeting of the Barton Heights Citizens' Association last week, and was referred to this mass-meeting. It is not intended or expected that any action will be taken antagonistic to the street car company, since many improvements have been made in the service in the past few years.

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The point for consideration, however, will be the great overcrowding of the cars during the rush hours, during which no particular provision is made by the company. Especially is this noticeable between 5 and 7 in the evening, when it is almost impossible to get standing room on the cars.

standing-room on the cars.
It is probable also that the car com-It is probable also that the car company will be petitioned to have a curve laid at First and Broad Streets, and to run the First Street cars down Broad to Eighth, thence to Main, and up Ninth, and back up Broad to First.

Such a course would obviate the necessity of transferring and standing on street corners, unprotected in all kinds of weather as the cars would so on

through to the centre of the business district.

It is not known what position the receivers of the Passenger and Power Company will take in regard to these matters, but they give every assurance that the wishes of the citizens served by the First Street line, will be given careful consideration.

LINDSAY HOME BISHOP POTTER'S

Reported That Handsome Franklin-Street Residence Has Been Selected.

The private scretary of Bishop Henry C. Potter, of New York, was in Richmond a few days ago, inspecting a number of houses, in order to select a suitable place for the residence of the bishop during the session of the Episcopal Convention. Though it has not been confirmed officially, it is understood that the home of Mr. R. H. Lindsey, the large colonial mansion at No. 800 West Franklin Street, facing Monroe Park, has been selected. The house is one of the most imposing in that section of the city, and is centrally located for the purposes of the convention, being only a few centrally located for the purposes of the convention, being only a few blocks west of the Jefferson Hotel, which will be the headquarters. The price paid for the house during the month of October was not made pub-lic.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Will Be Held in Connection With Confederate Reunion Here.

Confederate Reunion Here.

A resolution was passed at the meeting of the Presbyterian ministers of the city yesterday requesting all Presbyterian churches here to arrange special services for Sunday, June 2d, in recognition of the gathering of the Confederate Reunion, which will be in the city at that time. It is probable that the other denominations will take similar action, and that special memorial services will be held in all the churches of the city while the old veterans are in Richmond.

THRILLING TALE ABOUT BLACK HAND

Persecuted Italian, in Court, Describes How Dynamite Destroyed His Home, WILKESBARRE, PA., April 22,-

WILKESBARRE, PA., April 22.—
More than a score of foreigners, charged with being members of the "Black Hand" and responsible for a large number of crimes in this vicinity, were placed on trial here to-day, Thirteen cases of shooting with attempt to kill, thirteen of conspiracy, six of dynamiting, and two of robbery by threats and menaces, are charged against the men, who are alleged to be the leaders of the "Black Hand."

The men who exposed the personnel of the society are Charles Salvatore and Joseph Ritz, of Browntown. The persecution of these men began in the early part of last year, when a letter was slipped under their door demanding \$500, lest the entire Ritz family desired to be annihilated.

The taking of testimony was begun at the afternoon session. Several witnesses swore they received threaten.

at the afternoon session. Several withnesses swore they received threatening letters demanding as high as \$500, and if the money was not paid their homes would be burned.

Charles Rizzo, one of the persecuted Italians, told a thrilling tale of how twenty-odd defendants, all alleged members of the "Black Hand," had dynamited his house at Pittston on the night of December 24, 1905, and tore off the porch. He identified Jesio at the afternoon session. Several wit-

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Cornell, Charles L. Luchina and Steve Latori, of the defendants, as being among the crowd that placed the dynamite under his porch and exploded it. He then told of how he and his brother had received letters from "Black Hand" members demanding \$500, threatening to kill them or blow up their home with dynamite a second time. He and his brothers paid no attention to the threats, but gave the names of their tormentors to the chief of police.

Soon thereafter their house was riddled with bullets and the alleged "Black Hand" conspirators were arrested.

The Commonwealth has thirty-four witnesses, and the trial will last for many days.

TELLS OF SUICIDE

No Scandal, but Victim Was Afflicted Wife of Minister-Old Story Revived.

Story Revived,

PITTSBURG. PA., April 22—Mrs. Mary C. Thaw, mother of Harry K. Thaw, to-night asked the Associated Press to give to the public the facts concerning a suicide at her home here eight years ago, which she asserts some newspapers have distorted and elaborated upon. Mrs. Thaw in her statement says:

"In the eighteen years during which I occupied Lyndhurst, it is safe to say that the number of ministers and their families, for whom it was a stopping place, reached many scores. Among these was the wife of a former assistant to the pastor of the Third Presbyterian Church, of which I and my family are members. After her husband had resigned from that position they both engaged in teaching in a seminary in the central part of Pennsylvania. Later I heard that the wife had become an invalid, suffering from nervous prostration, with a tinge of melanchoila. When I heard that the husband had received a call from a church in Kentucky I invited the invalid wife to visit me at Lyndhurst while preparations for leaving the old home and settling in the new were under way, believing that the change of scene, rest and my care and careful nursing would be beneficial. S
"I returned from an afternoon reception one day and, not finding her in the nursery, I sent a maid to her room, who reported that the door of the bathroom was locked and she could get no answer. This alarmed us, and I ordered the gardener to enter by a window, when the startling discovery was made that the poor woman had ended her life in the manner described in the highly-colored account given in one Pittsburg and some of the Eastern newspapers. The family physician was immediately sent for. The husband was telegraphed to. The pastor of the Third Church and his wife came, also, and he very kindly offered to accompany the remains to Kentucky, and conduct the funeral services. The doctor on his arrival said that it would be necessary to have the coroner. The coroner was sent for, and all the usual formalities attended to. Stripped of all useless verbiage,

MAY SEEK NEW PLACE FOR NEXT THAW TRIAL

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., April 22—Attorneys Delphin M. Delmas and W. H. McPike, of the counsel for Harry K. Thaw, are in the city, the guests of Dr. Charles G. Wagner, Superintendent of the State Hospital, who was a prominent witness for the defense in the Thaw trial. It is believed that Mr. Delmas's coming is a preliminary step to bring Thaw here for a second trial. The attorneys had a conference with Justice George F. Lyon while here.

PRINCELY GIFT TO CHINESE MISSION

Rockefeller Will Give Vast Sum to Educate and Christianize Yellow People.

LOUISVILLE, KY., April 22.—The Rev. Carter Helm Jones, pastor of the Broadway Baptist Church, and close friend of John D. Rockefeller, anrriend of John D. Rockerlett, and nounced yesterday during a mission sermon that plans for a forthcoming princely gift by Rockefeller are almost complete. "I can say to you," said the Rev. Mr. Jones, "that the greatest benefactor of the Baptist church has been templeted, the arrangements for about completed the arrangements for a gift of \$50,000,000 for the education of the Chinese."

of the Chinese."

When questioned after the sermon the Rev. Mr. Jones refused to qualify his statement or give any details, contenting himself with admitting that it was correct.

CARNEGIE FUND TO DR. SMITH

University of Virginia Professor Rewarded by Executive Committee.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] NEW YORK, April 22.—J. D. Bowman secretary of the Carnegic Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, announced to-day that the executive committee has given retiring allowances to the follow-ing educators: Francis H. Smith, for more than fifty

Francis H. Smith, for more than fifty years professor of natural philosophy at the University of Virginia.

E. B. Andrews, chancellor of the University of Nebraska and fermer prestient of Brown, who has been a prominent teacher and educator for thirty years.

William W. Folwell, for fifteen years president of the University of Minnesota and now professor of economics in the university. the university. Amos N. Currier, for forty years pro-

fessor of Latin and track in the University of Iowa, and row dean of the college of liberal arts at that university.

FOUR CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

FULTON, KY., April 22.—Four children of Mr. Hodad, a Greek merchant, were cremated in a fire last night, which destroyed their residence. Mr. and Mrs. Hodad were badly burned, and the latter may not recover

Tree Crushes Man to Death.

GATE CITY, VA., April 22.—Near Yuma this afternoon H. C. Davidson, a prominent citizen, was crushed to death by a falling limb, while engaged in felling timber. He was forty years old, and has a family.

E. T. Scearce,

[Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
DANVILLE, VA., April 22.—E. T.
Scearce, a prominent farmer and merchant of Boonsville, this county, died at his home yesterday afternoon after a lingering illness. He was forty-two years of age, and is survived by a wife.

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SECRETARY TAFT BACK FROM CUBA

WASHINGTON, April 22.-Secretary of War Taft and party arrived at the Washington Navy-Yard on board the of War Taft and party arrived at the Washington Navy-Yard on board the Mayflower to-night after an absence of exactly a month on a trip that included Panama, Cuba and Porto Rico. The Secretary and Mrs. Taft were immediately driven to their residence. Former Governor of Porto Rico Beckman Winthrop and Mrs. Winthrop were guests of the Secretary on the return trip. The others in the party included Representatives Burton, of Ohio, and Dearmond, of Missouri: Senator Kittredge, of South Dakota, and Miss Margaret Ide.

The party arrived shortly after 11 o'clock. Later Secretary Taft gave out a statement in which he says he found matters in Cuba "in what, under the circumstances, he considered a very satisfactory condition."

That there is every ground for hope that the plan adopted for a census, preliminary election, and then a general election six months later, will result in the selection of a president and congress who will be able to maintain themselves and give a stable rule to the island, and that the delay in taking a census is taken by the Cubans as an earnest of the American government's desire to secure a stable government's desire to secure a stable government before it leaves, "so there shall be no excuse for a second intervention."

He says that next Friday he will go to Cincinnati to attend a Yale club

ment before it leaves, "so there shall be no excuse for a second intervention."
He says that next Friday he will go to Cincinnati to attend a Yale club meeting, will then address the Dayton (Ohio) Y. M. C. A., and on Monday night will discuss the Panama Canal before the Cincinnati Business Men's Club, reterturning to Washington by the following Wednesday.
He said he had nothing to say og politics. He stated that in Panama the engineers reported to him that the foundation for the sites for the locks were entirely satisfactory.

CAPE CHARLES BOAT STRIKES A STEAMER

BALITIMORE, MD., April 22.—The British steamship Barnstable, Captain Davidson, arrived in port this morning from Port Antonio, Jamaica, with a large hole in her portside, and with stem twisted. She was run into a full speed at 10 o'clock yesterday morning by the steamer Old Point Comfort, which runs from Cape Charles City, Va., to Old Point, Va.

No one was injured on either vessel, and the Barnstable was able to proceed to Baltimore unassisted. Captain Davidson, of the Barnstable, could not account for the collision.

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